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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire  
Chief Clerk & Administrator  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Application of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Incorporated for Approval of  
GCRMs

Docket No. 2006-401-G

Dear Ms. Boyd:

By this letter, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") hereby notifies the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") that ORS has reviewed and has no objection to Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.'s ("Piedmont") request for approval of GCRM-147. Piedmont has requested a benchmark cost of gas increase from the current \$3.00 per dekatherm to \$3.75 per dekatherm and for this change to become effective with the first billing cycle for January 2019.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jenny R. Pittman

cc: All Parties of Record (via E-mail)